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SOURCE Ta Kung Pao.CENTRAL CHINA TRADING COMPANY DISSOLVED

3 NEW COMPANIES TO BE SET UP -- Ta Kung Pao, 22 Sep 49

Han-k'ou, 19 September -- The Central China Trading Company is being dissolved and three new companies are taking its place. The Commodities Company will handle internal trade in consumer goods and foodstuffs, the Export Company will handle export goods, and the Import Company will handle imports.

COAL SUPPLIES INCREASED -- Ta Kung Pao, 14 Sep 49

Shang-hai, 13 September (WONA) -- At a joint meeting of East China mine operators and Shang-hai coal company heads, called by the East China District Military Transport Commander and the Finance Bureau, the coal situation was reviewed. It was revealed that from the middle of May to 20 August 1949 nearly 500,000 tons of coal was shipped from the mines of the area. Cities along the Yang-tzu Valley from Fan-k'ou to Shang-hai have been receiving supplies and it now appears that the initial problem of fuel supply for Shanghai, Nan-ching, and Hang-chou has been solved.

The meeting, however, urged all mine areas to continue increasing their output in order to ensure an entirely adequate fuel supply for all the great cities of the area.

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